

Sejpal's firm **Studio Avni** recently created a light fixture inspired by the havan-kund, that holy receptacle of fire so central to Hindu custom. Her inter-disciplinary studio makes statement furniture, acoustic wall claddings and murals and just about anything that might, or might not, catch your eye in a room. The havan-kund light, commissioned by Kalpa Taru

builders for a show flat, was meant to stand out. While bespoke lighting is a specialty, Sejpal, who has studied environmental design and public art, particularly loves working with textile to create murals that can hush the echoes in a room. "Our murals can be 3D and collapsible, which makes them tactile and interactive while still being functional." ●



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